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Examiner: Robert Thomas Crow

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Group Art Unit: 1634

Filing Date: March 29, 2004

Title: METHODS FOR IN SITU GENERATION OF NUCLEIC ACID ARRAYS

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Respectfully submitted,

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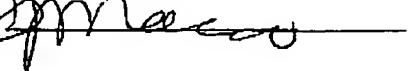
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	First Named Inventor	Bill James Peck
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	Title	Methods for In Situ Generation of Nucleic Acid Arrays

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the office communication dated May 9, 2006.

In the above referenced office communication, the Examiner imposed a restriction requirement, requiring the election of the claims of either:

Group I, i.e., Claims 28-59; or
Group II, i.e., Claims 60;
for further prosecution in this application.

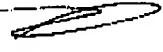
The Applicants hereby elect Group I with traverse.

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